

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Kathryn Zemar, Treasurer Casperson for Congress P.O. Box 495 Escanaba, MI 49829

Response Due Date: April 27, 2009

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Reference: Amended 30-Day Post-General Report (10/16/08 – 11/24/08), received

12/29/08

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following item:

-Schedule A of your report discloses the following contribution:

| <u>Name</u> | Date | Amount | Election |
|---------------------------------|-------------|---------------|-----------------|
| U.P. Bear Houndsman Association | 10/31/08 | \$5,000.00 | G2008 |

This contribution appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. You should examine all of your contributions to check for additional excessive contributions. The Committee's procedures for processing contributions should also be reviewed.

No political committee other than a qualified multi-candidate committee may make contributions to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$2,300 per election. The U.P. Bear Houndsman Association did not meet the requirements for qualified multi-candidate status as of the date the contribution(s) was made to your committee. The term "contribution" includes any gift, subscription, loan, advance, or deposit of money or anything of value made by any person for the purpose of influencing any election for federal office. (2 U.S.C. § 441a(a) and (f); 11 CFR § 110.1(b), (e) and (k))